

To members of the Public Safety and Security Committee

The many bills before you lack the due diligence of public review of the full investigation and full final report on the Sandy Hook Massacre

I would respectfully submit that there must be no sealed records, and that the magnitude of this despicable act demand that all the facts in the matter be brought to light such that a full and intellectually honest assessment of the root causes be done. By this full understanding, deliberate, ethical, honorable and constitutional laws be created that would in reality address real problems at hand.

The public statement of the State's Attorney Stephen Sedensky has said he hopes that the final report on the massacre will be done by the end of June. I submit that it is necessary to have a full reporting and scrutiny by the public and government be done before laws are crafted.

I would also speak on the pressure that has been exerted on you to "Act Now". This is wrong and ill-conceived. You must act with deliberation and intellectual honesty, and with facts, and fairness, and constitutionality, and with decisiveness, but you must not act rashly.

The bills as crafted fail the simple rule of intended effect vs. perceived effect. . That these bills have serious impact on the wellbeing of the citizens and businesses of Connecticut is painfully obvious.

Thank you for your time.

Respectfully,

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